

# August 2008

*Doing the right thing, even if it hurts...*

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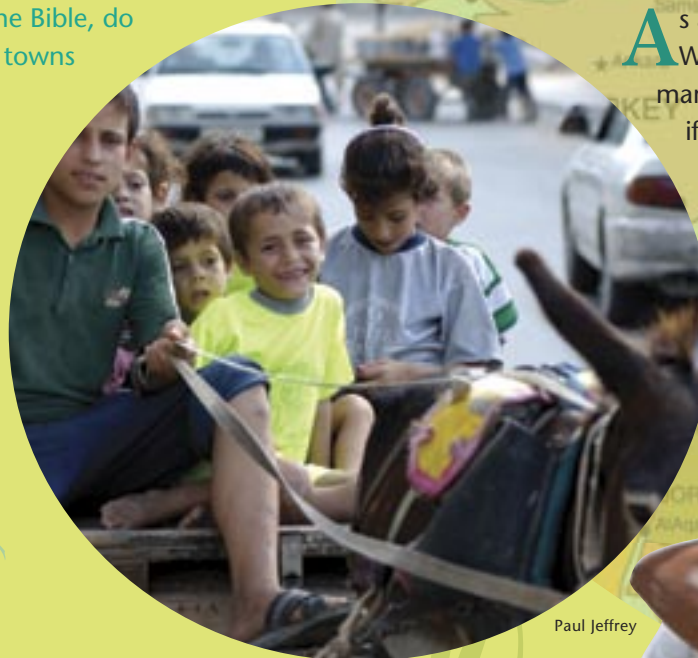


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*It's the action, not the fruit of the action, that's important. You have to do the right thing. It may not be in your power, may not be in your time, that there'll be any fruit. But that doesn't mean you stop doing the right thing. You may never know what results come from your actions. But if you do nothing, there will be no result.*

Ghandi

**W**hen you hear stories from the Bible, do you ever wonder about the towns and villages where the stories took place? Many of those same places still exist today! There has been a long history of war and fighting in what is now called the Middle East. When people are suffering from the effects of war, PWRDF is there to help. PWRDF works with the Dioceses across Canada and gets involved in helping families who are living in refugee camps.



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**A**s a family, talk about your favourite Bible stories. Where did they take place? Did you know that many of these ancient places still exist today? See if you can find Bethlehem, Nazareth, the Jordan River and the Sea of Galilee. On a modern map see if you can find Israel, Palestine, and the Gaza Strip. Check us out at **www.familiesforpwrdf.org** to see all the places in the world that have refugee camps.



**F**amilies escaping from wars can often live in refugee camps for years. Sometimes with only a cover over their head. Can you imagine some of the things you take for granted, like turning on a light switch that some children born in a refugee camp have never seen? What else do we take for granted?

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